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Subject RE: Libby Asbestos Site: information request

Kelcey,

Thank you for providing me with the clarification of the FOIA deliverable, especially the clarification of the AR labeling nomenclature. I would like to take you up on your offer to send CD1 of the Export Screening AR since only CD2 was received.

My mailing address is 3687 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Suite 330, Lafayette, CA 94549.

Once again thank you for your assistance with this matter. Kind regards, John

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From: Land.Kelcey@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:Land.Kelcey@epamail.epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, May 05, 2008 7:29 AM

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John, let me try to help clarify things a bit...

The four pages of cost summary that I provided to be sent to you are the summaries of the costs provided to WR Grace for our negotiations. The back-up documentation, which was also provided to Grace, is over 8 boxes of detailed cost information, some of which contains CBI. When we talked, I thought I was clear that I was going to send the summaries - if you want the back-up documentation, not only will we have to charge you for all those copies (8 plus boxes at \$.15 per page), we have a CBI issue to deal with and I would have to remove all those documents, further costing you more for my time to do that. If that is something you want to pursue, you would need to submit another FOIA specifically asking for that.

I thought I had explained how we compiled and maintain the ARs when we discussed this on the phone, but maybe it still wasn't clear. The administrative record (AR) is a sub-set of the site file that contains the documents that were specifically relied upon by the team and decision-makers relating to the response actions (removal actions in this case) at the site. The Export Screening AR (AR7225) is the original AR and each subsequent removal decision (action memo) has its own AR that supplements that original AR. Stated another way, the Export Screening AR is part of every other AR supplement, but we didn't